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In re U.S. Patent Application of: Roy et al.      )  
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Application No. 10/629,759      ) Group Art Unit: 7611  
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For: Prevention of Synthetic Color Fading      ) Confirmation No. 6813  
In Beverages Using Botanically      )  
Derived Color Stabilizers      )

**RESPONSE OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Final Office Action dated March 21, 2008. The Office Action sets a three-month period for response, thus making this paper due on or before **June 21, 2008**. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.